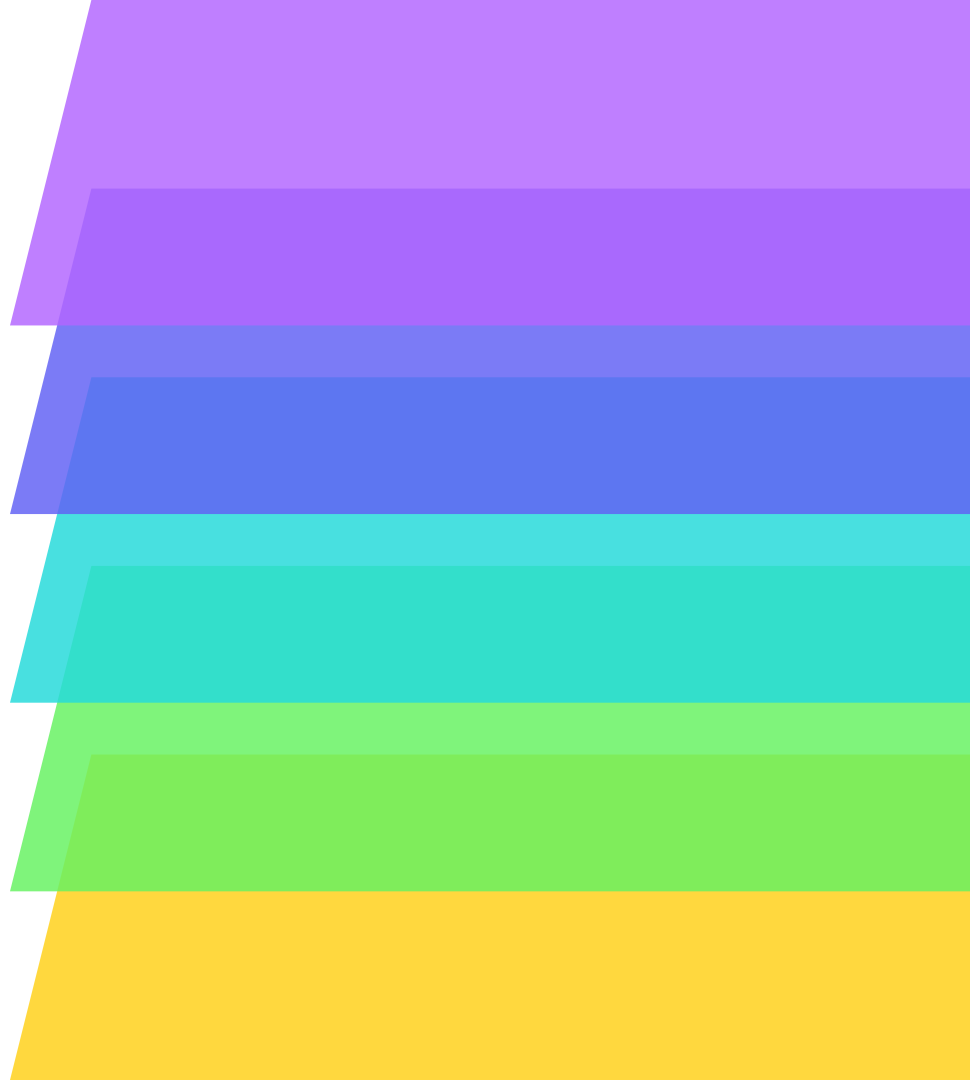


QKDelephone

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Overview

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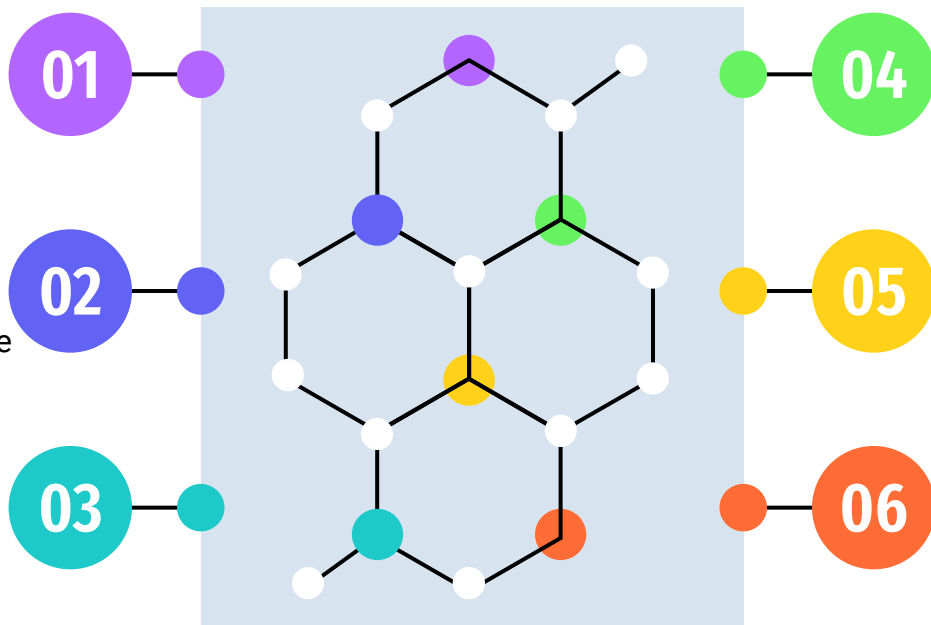
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Our Game

Fitting Quantum Key Distribution into Telephone

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Quantum Key Distribution



Sending

- Alice randomly selects **bits**
- Alice randomly selects **bases**
- Alice **encodes** bits into qubits
- Alice **sends** qubits to Bob



Receiving

- Bob randomly selects **bases**
- Bob **measures** qubits in those bases
- Bob **decodes** qubits to bits



Comparing

- Alice and Bob **compare** bases and bits
- They create their **key** (or make a new one if Eve is listening in)



Example of QKD



Sending

Let's say Alice randomly chooses these bits:

[1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0]

And these bases:

[Z, Z, Z, Z, Z, X, X, Z, Z, Z, X, Z]



Receiving

Then Bob measures the qubits

[1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0]

With these bases

[Z, X, X, X, Z, Z, Z, X, Z, Z, X, Z]



Comparing

Then they use the bits with the same bases:

[Z, X, X, X, Z, Z, Z, X, Z, Z, X, Z]

[Z, Z, Z, Z, Z, X, X, Z, Z, Z, X, Z]

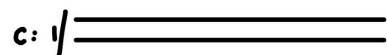
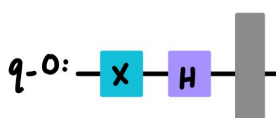
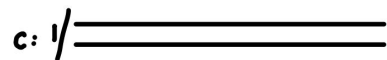
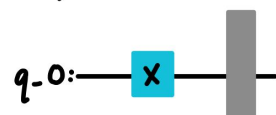
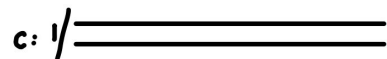
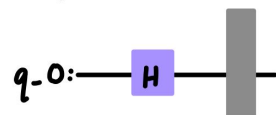
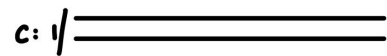
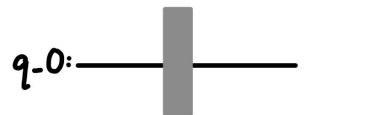
Yielding these bits:

[1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0]

How Our Game Works

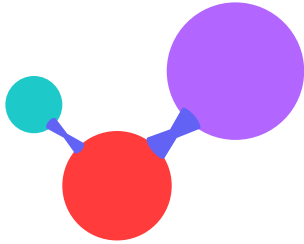


Game Demo



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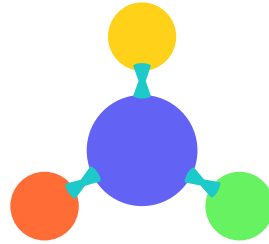
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Educational

One of the main goals of our project was to make knowledge of QKD more widespread and allow for more people to access and be able to use a QKD algorithm

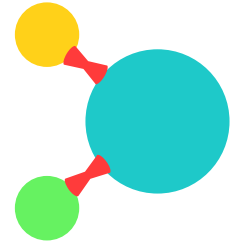
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Information Security

This game is also a model for more secure information exchange, and such models, as an effect of the educational impact can have a great impact on Cryptography

C



Entertainment

Our game is very similar to a game of telephone

Future Additions (and Implementations)



A

Make the game interactive

Using argparse to allow the user to choose number of interceptors and message

B

Graphical User Interface

Create a graphical interface through PyGame or cmu-graphics

C

More interactive players

Change the interceptors to actual people who can interactively eavesdrop

D

Optimize the number of bits

Find the most efficient number of bits and qubits for the QKD

E

Upload to a game platform

Upload a version of the game to an app store or another game hoster

Thank you for listening!

Any questions?

